

STOCKS.

370 Ophir—9½
120 Mexican—5 ½
200 Gould & Curry—4 15
100 Best & Belcher—8½
40 Con. Cal. & Va.—16½
1175 Savage—5½
150 Chollar—7
450 Potosi—7½
190 Hale & Norcross—5½
250 Crown Point—3 60
180 Yellow Jacket—5½
235 Imperial—2½
80 Kentuck—1 50
50 Alpha—3 50
75 Belcher—3 75
125 Confidence—10, 7½
225 Sierra Nevada—5
65 Utah—5, 7½
125 Bullion—2 25, 2 30
80 Exchequer—1 80, 1 45
150 Overman—1½, 1 95
25 Justice—2, 1 55
100 Union—3½, 4 35
90 Alta—3 50, 1 55
75 Julia—65c
375 Caledonia—85c
100 Goodshaw—10
100 Silver Hill—60c
235 Con. Pacific—35c
415 Bodie—2 65
100 Bulwer—1 45
500 Mono—3
165 Holmes—2 90

ALL SORTS.

—Wizard Oil at Geo. Thaxter's.
—The disfiguring on the face, the sunken eye, the palid complexion, indicate that there is something wrong going on within. Expel the lurking foe to health, Ayer's Sarsaparilla was devised for that purpose; and does it.

—As an article for the toilet, Ayer's Hair Vigor stands unrivalled. It cleanses the scalp and preserves it from scurf and dandruff, cures itching and humors, restores faded or gray hair to its original dark color, and promotes its growth.

—Anyone who wishes to purchase lottery tickets in this State can do so. The law is a dead letter. The passage of the Lottery bill will only place a tax on lottery tickets, which now does not exist. It will not compel the Enterprise staff to purchase any lottery tickets if they do not wish to.

The Angry Amateur.

The Virginia Reporter has hit the boodle newspapers some hard raps. These raps have so roused the ire of an amateur journalist of this city that he replies by calling his tormentor "a birth of harlotry," "bastard," "D street production," etc. Such language as this might be considered forcible in Natchez-under-the-Hill or the slums of London but it has no place in a newspaper. It only shows that some weak minded writer has lost his temper and his respect for his readers at the same time. People avoid such papers as they avoid a skunk, not through fear but simply a liking for fresh air.

State Contracts.

On Tuesday in the Senate a bill for supplies furnished the State put in by a City Trustee was not allowed from the fact that We terfield called attention to Section 1,710 of the Compiled Laws making it an offense punishable by fine and an imprisonment for any State, county or Municipal officer to be interested in a State contract. The showing made by Westerfield made quite a breeze. This is a law long violated and the members say that it shall be strictly enforced.

Notice.

No. 65 won the diamond ring, raffled for on the 20th of Jan. If not called for within 10 days from date, will be returned to the original owner, unless objections are made by those holding tickets; if so, call at Cap. Avery's Hole-in-the-Wall and sign their names, so that some conclusion may be arrived at as to the disposal of the ring.

Mrs. C. H. WILSON.

Feb. 20th, 1887.

Sad News.

Yesterday Assemblyman H. Rice received the sad news that his sister, Mrs. George Moody, of Spring Valley, had died on the 22nd. She leaves a husband, and also a child a few days old. The sympathy of the members is extended to Mr. Rice in his bereavement.

THIRTEENTH SESSION

FIFTY-SECOND DAY.

SENATE.

Senate met at 10:30 A. M. President Davis in the chair.
Roll called, quorum present.
Prayer by Rev. Van Deventer.
Journal read and approved.
Indefinite leave of absence granted to Senator Hardesty.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

A. B. 92—An Act authorizing purchase of maps for public schools. Referred to Com. on Education.

S. B. No. 119—An Act supplemental to an Act concerning crimes and punishments. Referred to Judiciary Committee.

A. B. 32—An Act to abolish the office of Road Supervisor. Laid on table.

By Sharon—S. B. 120, an Act to authorize the appointment of Court Commissioners. Referred to Judiciary Committee.

By Sharon—S. B. 121, an Act to amend Revenue law, relating to poll-tax reduction. Laid on table.

S. B. 122—An Act for securing to agriculturists the best methods of irrigation. Referred to Com. on Agriculture.

By Fish—S. B. 123, an Act compelling all school teachers, male and female, to subscribe to the oath contained in the fifteenth section of the Constitution, before being permitted to occupy a position in the public schools. Referred to Com. on Judiciary.

By Powell—S. B. 124, an Act authorizing the Commissioners of Elko county, to pay N. Tobias, a school teacher, his salary. Referred to Elko county delegation.

By Nichols—S. B. No. 125, an Act to provide for copying the journals of Senate and Assembly. Referred to Com. on Ways and Means.

S. B. 126—An Act to encourage the security of waste water and reclamation of public lands. Referred to Com. on Public Lands.

By Poujade—S. Joint and Con. Res. No. 24, relative to the election of U. S. Senator by direct vote of the people. [300 copies ordered printed and memorial forwarded to Congress.] Adopted.

At 11:30, Senate went into Committee of the Whole for consideration of S. B. 107, an Act providing for the payment of Commissioner Havenor, and S. B. 111, an Act to pay Muller, Schmitt & Co., interest money on material furnished the State Printing office.

Both bills were referred to the Com. on Claims.

Sub. for Senate bill 99.—An Act to provide for the proper registration of voters. [Referring to the members of the Mormon Church.] Recess till 2 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

S. B. 99, polygamy amendment to Election Law. Passed 11 to 8.

A. B. 100, prescribing qualifications of voters. Tabled.

S. B. 127, to appropriate \$300 to Nevada Silver Association. Passed.

S. B. 9, to encourage mining. Passed unanimously.

S. B. 128, compensation of officers of Lyon county. Judiciary Committee.

S. B. 39, relative to drawing juries. Ordered engrossed.

S. B. 130, relative to corporations. Ordered on file.

Governor's approval of S. B. 37, relative to District Attorneys, S. B. 77, restricting sale of cigarettes, and relief bill of J. B. Fitch of Elko was received.

Senate adjourned.

ASSEMBLY.

House called to order at 10:30 A. M., Speaker McDonnell in the chair.

Roll called, quorum present.
Prayer by Rev. J. L. Woods.
Journal read and approved.

MESSAGE FROM GOVERNOR.

Approving A. B. 66, consolidating certain county offices; also A. B. 85, providing for constructing a telephone from State Prison to Sheriff's office, Carson; also A. B. 94, providing for construction of a railroad in Humboldt county.

The vote by which Hale's gambling bill was lost was reconsidered.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING.
By Craig—A. B. 113; an Act to repose certain duties on Sheriffs in certain counties of this State. [Ap-

plies to Lyon county.] Referred to Lyon county delegation.

GENERAL FILE.

Sub. for A. B. 14—An Act to authorize the payment of sixteen months' salary to Chas. E. Laugh-ton for services as Lieutenant Governor and ex-Officio Librarian.

House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole, with Mr. McConnell in the Chair, to consider the bill. The substitute, which provides for the payment of the entire salary, \$3,600, was recommended for passage.

Mr. Logan moved to amend by making the amount \$2,950. Lost.

Mr. Drury opposed the bill, while Mr. McConnell and Mr. Egan stoutly favored the measure. Mr. Hale moved to make bill special order for Saturday, at 2 P. M.

Previous question called and carried. Bill passed; 32 to 7.

Mr. Drury changed his vote and gave notice of reconsideration to-morrow.

Mr. Pike moved that rules be suspended and vote be reconsidered at once. Lost.

Recess till 1:30.

AFTERNOON SESSION.
S. B. 93—Consolidating county offices. Tabled.

A. B. 107—Prohibiting gaming. Tabled.

A. B. 111—Providing revenue for Government. Passed; 39 to 1.

S. B. 74—Providing for record of births and deaths. Passed.

A. B. 48—Regulating compensations of county officers. Passed.

S. Joint and Con. Res., relative to transportation of bullion by Government. Passed.

S. Joint Con. Res. 19. Appropriation for strengthening Navy. Passed.

A. B. 68—Act to restrict gambling. Lost; 16 to 22.

Various bills were considered in Committee of the Whole and recommended.

S. B. 84—Relative to submitting Constitutional amendments. Referred to Judiciary Committee.

House adjourned.

The Pyke Opera Company.

A large and highly delighted audience greeted the Pyke Opera Co. Wednesday evening in "Prince Methusalem," and witnessed one of the most finished and artistic performances of opera ever presented in the city. The Company really deserve the most liberal patronage that can be extended by our citizens, for nothing has been previously heard in this line of opera here that can at all compare with the lyric treat offered by this most meritorious company, and as the season is limited everyone should take advantage of the opportunity to satisfy their musical craving.

Miss Winston displayed unmistakable evidence of her superiority as an actress and singer, and won the merited plaudits of the entire audience for her superb rendition of the various songs allotted to the character she assumed.

Miss Louise Manfred is unquestionably a delightful singer enchanting her hearers with a beautiful soprano voice. She shared the honors of the evening equally with Miss Winston. In Mr. Louis de Lange we find a comedian of honest worth which it has seldom been our good fortune to meet with. His rendition of the topical song "The Dotlet on the 1" was most amusing and earned the gentleman merited recalls.

Mr. Clark is as good as he is thin. He must have undergone considerable "banting" to fit himself for the peculiar character he assumed.

Miss Eva Norman pleased us much in her delineation of the role of "Sophistic."

Mr. C. M. Pyke is a fine baritone to whom it is a pleasure to listen. Mr. Valerger, Mr. Keene and the ladies and gentlemen assuming the minor roles were good. The chorus was most excellent, and costumes marvels of beauty. A fine orchestra under the able direction of Mr. Oscar Herold went towards making the ensemble the finest ever heard. Truly our citizens are fortunate in having the chance of hearing such a company and without doubt will avail themselves of the opportunity.

Last night "The Queen's Lace Handkerchief" was given introducing another prima donna, Miss Tellula Evans, who proved a singer worthy of the name. Tonight will be given "The Oath of Love" by the author of "Mascot" and "Olivette" with the entire strength of the Company. A full house should be present and will be without doubt.

THE LOTTERY BILL.

Is the State to be Robbed of Its Revenue?

The articles in the APPEAL relative to the Lottery bill, which it has strenuously advocated for years, has called forth several letters from people who have given the subject more or less consideration. We print a few to show how the public feel:

ED. APPEAL:—I hope you will keep up your fight for the Lottery bill. It will make business for a good many people in this State, and what I want to see in Nevada is business. A TAXPAYER.

ED. APPEAL:—I don't believe in gambling, but I want to see the Lottery bill pass. If it will keep \$100,000 of our own money home every year and bring a million more from abroad, I for one, am for it, although I don't care to say so openly, as people will say that I am a friend of gambling. Yours,

The name is omitted by request.

ED. APPEAL:—Did it ever occur to you to ask the men who vote against the Lottery bill if they haven't themselves been investors in the lottery, and are down on lotteries because they don't draw prizes?

A WOMAN WHO BUYS TICKETS.
These are a few of the letters received at this office during the past few days.

The San Francisco Report says: A correspondent, whose letter is printed in another column, suggests that if California cannot prevent its citizens annually sending millions of dollars to Louisiana or to China, by means of lottery gambling, the State start a lottery of its own, so that money might be kept at home and devoted to useful and charitable purposes.

From the standpoint of the practical man, who takes human nature as it is and makes the best of it, there is much to recommend this plan. But the general public believes itself better, and insists on other people, especially the newspapers, treating it as better than it really is; and if you suggest a California State Lottery, thousands of people who now contribute regularly to foreign lottery schemes would raise their gentle voices against such "countenancing of vice" and would insist that the evil be "suppressed," knowing very well all the time that it would not be suppressed and that they did not want it suppressed. The same public hypocrisy shows itself in the matter of the great social evil, whenever a proposition is made to regulate it by law, and make it less hurtful by publicly acknowledging its existence and the practical impossibility of suppressing it.

Public hypocrisy our correspondent would find a very difficult thing to deal with, if he tried his hand at it journalistically.

The above extract puts the question plainly, and it tells the facts exactly as they are. If gambling is to be carried on in Nevada let it be so regulated that the State will derive the largest possible benefit. If the Legislature does not pass the Lottery bill, the people of this State will have cause to regret it before the next Legislature meets. A few large prizes have fallen into this State from New Orleans, and it has started a craze that no power can check. The only counter-move left at our disposal is a State Lottery.

THE GOVERNOR'S VETO.

The Governor will veto the Lottery bill. He can do nothing else. It is the duty of the Legislature to pass it over his head. Men say that the State needs a lottery, but they cannot exactly see how to reach the matter. With the law against selling lottery tickets repealed, there is no penalty. [There is no penalty anyhow, except on the books, as the law has been a dead letter ever since it was passed.] With no penalty, and if the bill is passed over the veto of the Governor, it becomes a law under the Constitution. The APPEAL has it from good authority that the Governor looks upon the bill as something needed in this State, but will veto it from a sense of obligation to the Constitution.

The passage of the bill, despite his veto, makes it a law, and Constitutionally a law.

There is not a thinking man in the State but would like to see irrigation in Nevada get the lottery tax of \$25,000 a year.

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—TO CALL AT OUR—
EMPORIUM—
—AND INSPECT—
THE NUMEROUS ARTICLES THAT WE HAVE
JUST RECEIVED, SUITABLE
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HOLIDAY PRESENTS
—OUR NECKTIE AND SCARF
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